

10/551166

JG20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 27 SEP 2005

PATENT

Docket No.: 070759-0038

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Toshio IKEUCHI, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: Not yet
assigned	:	
Application No.: Not yet assigned	:	Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned
Filed: September 27, 2005	:	Examiner: Not yet assigned
For: DISPLAY APPARATUS	:	

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that the references be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with the application and no certification or fee is required.

A copy of the foreign search report is attached for the Examiner's information. Please note this is a PCT application in the entry of the National Phase in the U.S. and copies of the references cited were transmitted by WIPO and are believed to be in the file of the above identified application and readily available to the Examiner. Therefore it is believed that Applicants have met all requirements regarding duty of disclosure under 37

10/551166

CFR 1.56. Acknowledgement and consideration of these documents are respectfully requested.

JC20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 27 SEP 2005

However, to ensure that these references are available to the Examiner, we are providing copies of these references herewith. Since the Search Report was from the JPO search authority, copies of these references should have been supplied to the USPTO under the trilateral agreement and are believed to be in the file of the above identified application and readily available to the Examiner.

The relevance of JP 2002-287109 A, JP 6-151023 A and JP 10-234130 A, is discussed in the present specification.

Respectfully submitted,

McDERMOTT WILL & EMERY LLP



Arthur J. Steiner  
Registration No. 26,106

600 13<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20005-3096  
Phone: 202.756.8000 AJS:aem  
Facsimile: 202.756.8087  
Date: September 27, 2005

Please recognize our Customer No. 20277  
as our correspondence address.

SHEET 1 OF 2


<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION</b>  (PTO-1449)				ATTY. DOCKET NO. <b>070759-0038</b>		SERIAL NO. <b>Not yet assigned</b> <b>10/551166</b>	
				APPLICANT <b>Toshio IKEUCHI, et al.</b>			
				FILING DATE <b>September 27, 2005</b>		GROUP <b>Not yet assigned</b>	
<b>U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	CITE NO.	Document Number Number-Kind Code(s) (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear		
		US					
		US					
<b>FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	CITE NO.	Foreign Patent Document Country Code(s)-Number + Kind Code(s) (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Figures Appear	Translation Yes No	
/NB/		JP 2002-341448 A	11-27-2002	SONY CORP	Corresponds to US 2002/163627 A1	JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 9-238293 A	09-09-1997	HITACHI LTD		JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 8-249540 A	09-27-1996	TEC CORP	Corresponds to US 5,710,415 A	JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 9-114403 A	05-02-1997	SEIKO EPSON CORP		JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 6-3655 A	01-14-1994	CASIO COMPUT CO LTD		JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 2001-133781 A	06-19-1998	HITACHI LTD HITACHI ELECTRONIC DEVICES CO LTD		JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 2002-214709 A	01-14-1994	SONY CORP		JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 10-163671 A	06-19-1998	MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC CORP		JAPAN (w/English Abstract)	
		JP 2-126377 U	10-18-1990				x
<b>OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</b>							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	CITE NO.	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.					
EXAMINER /Nathanael Briggs (02/05/2009)				DATE CONSIDERED			

\* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

JC20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 27 SEP 2005

SHEET 2 OF 2

<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION</b>  (PTO-1449)				ATTY. DOCKET NO. <b>070759-0038</b>		SERIAL NO. <b>Not yet assigned</b> <b>10/551166</b>	
				APPLICANT <b>Toshio IKEUCHI, et al.</b>			
				FILING DATE <b>September 27, 2005</b>		GROUP <b>Not yet assigned</b>	
<b>U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	CITE NO.	Document Number Number-Kind Code <sup>2</sup> (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document		Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
		US					
		US					
		US					
		US					
<b>FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	CITE NO.	Foreign Patent Document Country Codes-Number + Kind Codes (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document		Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Figures Appear	Translation Yes No
/NB/		JP 2002-6824 A	01-11-2002	NEK MITSUBISHI DENKI VISUAL SYSTEMS KK			JAPAN (w/English Abstract)
		JP 3-36519 A	02-18-1991	FUJITSU LTD			JAPAN (w/English Abstract)
		JP 5-242987 A	09-21-1993	HITACHI LTD HITACHI MICOM SYST-KK HITACHI GAZOU JOHO SYST-KK		Corresponds to US 5,384,516 A	JAPAN (w/English Abstract)
		JP 2002-287109 A	10-03-2002	SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO LTD			JAPAN (w/English Abstract)
		JP 6-151023 A	01-11-2002	SHIBAURA ENG WORKS CO LTD			JAPAN (w/English Abstract)
		JP 10-234130 A	01-11-2002	CALSONIC CORP			JAPAN (w/English Abstract)
<b>OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</b>							
EXAMINER'S INITIALS	CITE NO.	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.					
EXAMINER /Nathanael Briggs/ (02/06/2009)				DATE CONSIDERED			

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.